PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q83591

Mie YOSHIMURA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/509,596

Group Art Unit: 1771

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Examiner: Andrew T. Piziali

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For:

IDENTIFYING MARKER, IDENTIFYING METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING MARKER,

IDENTIFYING SYSTEM FOR IDENTFYING MARKER, AND METHOD OF

PROVIDING IDENTIFICATION SERVICE

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages. A Petition for one-month Extension of Time is being concurrently filed making a response timely filed by December 28, 2005.

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